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Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)
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	Nikita Wells	2881

All Participants:

(1) Nikita Wells.

Status of Application: _____

(3) _____.

(2) William C. Rowland.

(4) _____.

Date of Interview: 16 May 2006

Time: _____

Type of Interview:

- Telephonic
 Video Conference
 Personal (Copy given to: Applicant Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: Yes No

If Yes, provide a brief description:

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

none

Claims discussed:

1, 7, and 8

Prior art documents discussed:

none

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

The dependency of claim 8 was changed from claim 1 to claim 7.

Part III.

- It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
 It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

NIKITA WELLS
PRIMARY EXAMINER

(Examiner/SPE Signature)

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